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In re Application of: Docket No. 00862.021808.

TOSHIHIKO MIYAZAKI ET AL.

Application No.: 09/705,957

Filed: November 6, 2000

For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS



Examiner: E.M. Gemmell

Group Art Unit: 2882

Date: March 22, 2004

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 8	MINUS	** 54	0	x \$9 \$18	0
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 4	MINUS	*** 27	0	x \$43 \$86	0
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145°/\$290						0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						0

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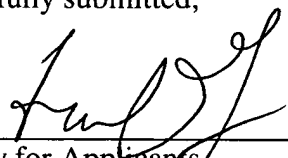
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- ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

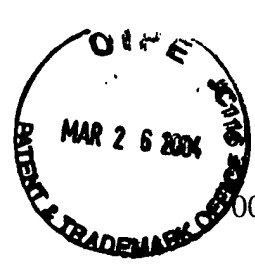
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action of December 22, 2003 (Paper No. 20031210), which set forth a shortened statutory period for reply expiring on March 22, 2003. In response to that Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on March 22, 2004.

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Frank A. DeLucia March 22, 2004
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